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Filed : 5/23/97
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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to examiner's action mailed June 23, 1998, be extended for three months to and including December 23, 1998.

Enclosed is a check for $870 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or any credits to our deposit account number 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 12-16-98

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

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Total Claims	**24**	-	**24**	=	**0**	$**0**
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